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| For: METHOD AND SYSTEM TO RECOVER |) | |
| RESOURCES IN THE EVENT OF DATA |) | |
| BURST LOSS WITHIN WDM-BASED |) | |
| OPTICAL-SWITCHED NETWORKS |) | |
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Sir/Madam:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed May 29, 2007, the Examiner is respectfully solicited to enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.